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DUCT, PIPE AND TUBE  
JOINTS

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
EXAMINER'S OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE EXAMINER'S OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2005, please enter the following Amendments and Remarks:

**In the Claims**

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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